



UNITY WEEK

schedule of Events



Honoring all who serve in our U.S. Armed Forces

June 14, 2006

- 11 am - noon Columbus Annual Flag Day Ceremony. Kickoff Operation Unity on the East Patio of Veterans Memorial, with keynote speaker Lt. Col. Michael Faruqui, U.S. Army with a special presentation of colors from the 121st Air Refueling Wing.

June 15, 2006

- 10 - 11 am Tours of VA Out Patient Clinic
- 1 - 2:30 pm VA sponsors Operation M.O.V.E. at Veterans Memorial, Managing Overweight/Obesity for Veterans Everywhere.
- 6 - 9 pm Salute to Veterans Unity Night with the Columbus Clippers. Central Ohio Veterans will be recognized, Columbus Zoo will bring an eagle and Mayor Michael B. Coleman will throw out the first pitch.

June 16, 2006

- 10 am-4 pm US Small Business Administration Contracting and Procurement Summit for Veteran-owned businesses at Veterans Memorial. Buy & sell to the Government! One Stop shopping.

June 17, 2006

- 10 am-4 pm Operation Unity Celebration at Veterans Memorial, with activities for families and children, offering information, job search, VA medical sign up, M*A*S*H* Unit and franchising opportunities from local, state and national military, business and service organizations for those on active duty, guard or reserves, veterans and their families.
- Ceremonial issuance of the USPS Purple Heart stamp and special ceremony to pin Purple Hearts on recipients.

For more information on these events please call 645-6504 or log on to <http://mayor.columbus.gov/veterans>

